





but on information obtained from various sources.

"The Kansas City Bertillon description of 'Rogers' said he was 5 feet 6 inches tall and weighed 134 pounds. Both the Bertillon description and the photograph, which was taken at the St. Louis police station, were in the possession of the St. Louis police department. It was known that Rogers frequently wore a glove on his left hand to conceal the scar.

"Chief Young and Allen, convinced that the Kansas City prisoner was Ora Lewis, telephoned the Kansas City chief and asked that the prisoner be turned over to St. Louis for trial. The admission was granted.

"The Kansas City police then informed the St. Louis police that they had identified the prisoner as Ora Lewis. The St. Louis police then made the confession that Ora Lewis was the man in the machine.

#### Killing of Patrolman Dillon and McKenna Occurred April 7

The murders of Patrolman Dillon and McKenna, of which the Lewis brothers were convicted, were committed on the morning of April 7. About 7:30 a. m. Patrolman McKenna saw two men drive up in an auto which he had reason to believe was stolen to a gasoline filling station at 618 North Wacker street. At a corner's inquest later the jury found that the men in the machine were Ora and Roy Lewis.

McKenna questioned the men and placed them under arrest. While the policemen were talking to them, another stolen car, in which Roy later said were his brothers, Frank and Lee, drove up to the filling station, but its occupants upon seeing the policeman, drove away and went to their home at 438 Atholville avenue. As they were going away, Ora Lewis, according to a confession by Roy to the police, drew a revolver and shot McKenna, who died at the city hospital about 10 o'clock.

The news of the killing of McKenna was flashed to patrolmen over the city and among those who began an immediate investigation was Dillon. Dillon, it was said, had been suspicious of the conduct of men living at the Atholville address, and he immediately went to the garage, back of the house, apparently to see if he could find there the machine which had carried away the murderers of McKenna.

"Frank, Roy and Ora, according to Roy's confession, were in the garage when they saw the policeman approaching. They said he went into the house, expecting his brothers to follow him. When they did not, he returned to the garage. There he found Frank and Ora with Dillon's body between them. Ora suggested that they take the slain man into the county and bury him. This was done.

When Patrolman Dillon failed to report to his station by night, the Atholville avenue house was surrounded and Roy was arrested. He was in bed, fully dressed, but his three brothers had got away. The sisters, mother and stepfather of the boys were also arrested. On Sunday, two days after the double killing, Patrolman Dillon's body was found, partly buried, in a culvert alongside the Denny road, about one-quarter mile south of the Clayton road. A small girl found it a few days later. Joe Lewis confessed, implicating his brothers.

No trace of the three fugitive brothers was found by the St. Louis police, after their escape, until the Kansas City department notified them that they believed the Kansas City prisoner was Ora Lewis, and that his brother, Frank, had got away again.

Constant watch day and night had been kept upon two houses in the 3300 block on Morgan street, where the mother, sisters and stepfather of the Lewis boys have resided since their release two weeks after the murder. Their mail also was read by the police, but no clue came through this vigilance. Joe Lewis' wife resides at 3332 Morgan street, and his other relatives live at 3246 Morgan street.

The coroner's verdict was that Ora had killed McKenna, with the felonious aid of Roy, and that Ora, Roy and Frank had murdered Dillon, with Lee as accessory.

#### PRESIDENT BEGINS TODAY HIS "PORCH CAMPAIGN"

Will Address Large Delegation of New Jersey Business Men at Shadow Lawn.

LONG BRANCH, N. J., Sept. 23.—President Wilson's program today called for the first of a series of speeches he plans to deliver at Shadow Lawn in his "porch campaign" for re-election. He planned to address a large delegation of New Jersey business men on the subject of his administration towards American business.

The federal public was to be admitted to the Shadow Lawn estate to hear the President's speech and several thousand persons were expected to be present. Business men from various parts of New Jersey began arriving for the reception and speech early this morning.

## New York Police Held on Pier on Car Strike Duty



#### BRIDGEPORT STRIKERS SUE FACTORY FIRM FOR \$200,000

Two Non-Union Members Charge Conspiracy in Assault, Two Others Allege False Arrest.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Sept. 23.—In retaliation for the recent suit brought by Bridgeport manufacturers against the Molders Union and their organizers for \$200,000 damages resulting from an alleged conspiracy growing out of the strike situation, the Monumental Bronze Co. was today made defendant in a suit for a like amount by three of the strikers.

The strikers allege they were assaulted in pursuance of a conspiracy acting in behalf of the Monumental Bronze Co. and Elsie N. Sperry, president, Charles Robinson, foreman, Frank Clancy, superintendent, and John Thompson, all employees of the concern. Each asks \$50,000 damages. Two also allege fraudulent arrest, asking for \$50,000 each.

Property of the Monumental Bronze Co. and bank accounts of the corporation, Sperry, and Robinson were attached by a deputy sheriff, who tied up about \$50,000 in all. No money belonging to Thompson and Clancy was found and they are being sought with body writs.

#### REJECTED SUITOR ACCUSED OF SETTING GIRL'S HOME ON FIRE

Frederick Fischer Arrested on Charge of Attempting to Burn House on Douglas Road.

Frederick Fischer, 26 years old, a carpenter, of Musick's Ferry, St. Louis County, is in jail at Clayton on a charge of arson in connection with the burning of a house on the Douglas road, occupied by Edward Teason. Fischer is accused of setting fire to the house because Miss Marnie Teason, 16, had frowned on his attentions to her.

Fire was discovered in the Teason home at 2 a. m. Wednesday, and was extinguished by Teason and his two daughters. The rear porch was destroyed and the house slightly damaged. Fischer was arrested on Teason's complaint.

Fischer admits pouring coal oil on the front porch an hour before the fire, after he had been told to stay away from the place, but denied knowledge of the fire. After pouring the oil, he said, he changed his mind about firing the house, and went home.

Bill Would Give Widow \$10,000. A bill appropriating \$10,000 for the relief of Mrs. Mary Sehl, whose husband, Matthew, was accidentally shot by Patrolman Gallagher, was presented to the Board of Aldermen by Alderman Barney L. Schwartz yesterday. Sehl, was a passenger in a Tower Grove car on Aug. 14, and was struck by a bullet when Patrolman Gallagher began firing at an escaping prisoner in front of police headquarters.

## "TRUTH"

is stronger than fiction.

That one newspaper in a metropolitan city like St. Louis should repeatedly beat 3 or 4 out of its competitors combined in volume of home-merchants' advertising is almost incredible—nevertheless, it's true, and yesterday, Friday, merely added one more victory to the long list previously won by St. Louis' "One Big Newspaper," the Post-Dispatch, over all added competition:

**Home-Merchants' Advertising**  
Post-Dispatch 92 Cols.  
Globe-Democrat 85 Cols.  
Times and Star combined.

The Post-Dispatch alone beat all four of its competitors added together by 7 cols.

**WHY?**  
Merchants know it is the safe and sure medium for quick and profitable results.

**Circulation:**  
First Eight Months, 1916  
Sunday Only, 362,758  
Daily Average, 209,311

**"FIRST IN EVERYTHING"**

## British Push Back the Germans on Half Mile Front

Continued From Page One.

The Germans and Bulgarians, is said to have been abandoned by the Russian and Rumanian forces. Russian naval forces in the Black Sea are said to have resumed their bombardment of the Bulgarian seaport of Varna.

#### Portuguese Troops Again Active in German East Africa.

LISBON, via Paris, Sept. 23.—An extensive invasion of German East Africa by Portuguese troops is reported in an official statement issued by the War Office. The statement says:

"After the passage of the Rovuma River, our columns advanced eight miles and occupied Miboa. The left column seized Katibwa and the German barracks and then proceeded toward Nacaras. The columns on the center and right, marching toward the Mikumba depot, retreated on the direction of Sasawara, west of Lindi. The natives willingly accepted Portuguese domination.

Germany declared war on Portugal on March 9, and a month later the Portuguese military commander in Africa reported that he had occupied Kionga, a port on the border of German and Portuguese East Africa. Since then there have been no reports of any activity by the Portuguese. The greater part of the German colony is in the hands of the Belgians and South Africans, according to official statements from London and Havre.

French Patrols Approach Edge of Comblies on Somme Front. PARIS, Sept. 23.—French patrols approached the edge of Comblies, on the Somme front, last night. The official statement issued here this afternoon says they found a great many dead Germans on the field and took a few prisoners. South of the Somme there is active artillery fighting.

French aviators engaged in 56 aerial fights yesterday. Four German aeroplanes were shot down. In connection with these air engagements the official report says:

"In these fights Adjutant Dorne destroyed his eleventh German aeroplane south of Gouvaucourt, while Lieut. Deullin brought down his seventh machine south of Doinet. Adjutant Tarascon destroyed his sixth enemy machine southwest of Horgny. In the region of Verdun Adjutant Lenois attacked a German aeroplane at very close quarters and brought down his opponent within the German lines at a point north of Douaumont. This makes the tenth enemy machine destroyed up to the present time by Adjutant Lenois."

Berlin Tells of Repulsing Both British and French Attacks. BERLIN, via London, Sept. 23.—North of the River Somme the battle between Anglo-French forces and troops commanded by Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria was resumed yesterday, says today's German official statement. The French attacked the Comblies-Rancourt line and the British attempted to advance near Courcellette, but neither force, the statement adds, gained any success.

Bulgarians Claim Successes at Two Points in Macedonia. BERLIN, via London, Sept. 23.—Bulgarian successes on the Macedonian front on the extreme western end of the line and east of the Vardar, are announced in the Bulgarian official statement of Sept. 22. Trenches between Florina and Lake Prespa were captured, while in the Vardar region an attack by entente troops preceded by artillery preparations were repulsed.

Dance Music Worth Hearing at Arcadia tonight. Monster crowds. Ladies free. Men, 30c. 337 Olive street.

## BRITAIN ADMITS TRADE SUFFERS FROM SUBMARINES

Will Take Further Steps to Control Shipping Because of Depletion of Tonnage.

ALLIES TO COME FIRST

Neutrals Engaged in Their Trade to Be Next to Receive Facilities.

LONDON, Sept. 23.—The continued depletion of the world's supply of tonnage as a result of the operations of the submarines of the central Powers will be met by an increase in stringent measures by which the entente allies design to control shipping, so as to insure its being used to the best advantage of the allies and prevent it even indirectly aiding their opponents, according to a statement made to the Associated Press today by Lord Robert Cecil, Minister of War Trade.

Lord Robert admitted that even the present rate of destruction without considering the possibility of a resumption of unrestricted submarine warfare, meant a serious loss to the world's tonnage and that consequently it could not be expected that British coal or other British facilities should be expended on ships carrying goods to blacklisted firms. The entente allies will increase their shipping measures, which already are proving valuable in making the best use of available tonnage, in proportion as the Germans succeed in destroying merchant ships.

The Minister of War Trade says that as a matter of course the entente allies would be favored, as regards the use of tonnage, and that neutrals engaged in entente allied trade or in unsupervised neutral trade would be given the next consideration. Neutrals suspected of unsupervised trade, would not enjoy the usual facilities.

Lord Robert said that the answer of Great Britain to the American Government's protest against the seizure of mails would be sent to Washington, almost immediately and that the reply to the American protest with regard to the blacklist imposed by the entente allies would follow shortly.

Lord Robert told a Post-Dispatch correspondent today that the reply as to mail censorship would be presented in Washington by the French and British Ambassadors. He indicated that the reply would be in support of the attitude adopted regarding the censorship and that no abandonment of the censorship was contemplated.

THE AMERICAN AMBASSADOR TO GREAT BRITAIN, CONFERRED HERE LAST NIGHT WITH PRESIDENT WILSON ON BRITISH INTERFERENCE WITH AMERICAN TRADE AND MAILS, IN ORDER THAT PAGE MAY DISCUSS THE QUESTION WITH THE SPECIAL ATTACHE IN THE AMERICAN OFFICE WHEN HE RETURNS TO LONDON.

Mr. Wilson desired to impress on the Ambassador the necessity of informing the American Government that continued interference with the United States will not be allowed. The President is understood to take the position that the long delays on the part of the British Foreign Office in answering the protests of the United States are without excuse.

The general policy of the administration was said here to be to continue pressing as vigorously as possible for changes in the British Government's practice of interfering with American commerce.

#### "PRISONER OF HIS BED" DOWN TOWN SECOND TIME IN 7 YEARS

Former Mail Clerk Who Conducts Business From Couch Has Air-Tug on Motor Truck.

Arthur E. Rump of 8215 Columbia avenue, the former mail clerk who was totally disabled by an accident, and who conducts a magazine subscription business by telephone from his home, was downtown yesterday afternoon for the second time in the seven years since he was incapacitated. He lay on a reclining chair, with his head slightly raised, and was carried on a motor truck by his friends, J. C. Harris and W. J. Mills.

Rump, who has the use of none of his joints except those of his arms, was carried in a similar manner, a week before, to see a baseball game between the Browns and the Boston Red Sox. He hopes to be able to obtain a motor conveyance that he may make daily business excursions in pleasant weather, for pleasure and profit.

"When one is a prisoner in his bed," he says, "it's pretty hard to be a prisoner without four walls, too."

Retired Druggist Hit by Auto. John Traves, 31 years old, a retired druggist of 3711, Clements avenue, was knocked down by an automobile at Delmar boulevard and De Baliviere avenue Thursday. He thought at the time that he was uninjured but yesterday he suffered pains in the left side and later was informed by a physician that two of his ribs were fractured.

## ENTENTE SAID TO HAVE GREEK TERMS FOR ENTERING WAR

Definite Proposals Reported to Have Been Submitted to Allies by Athens Government.

ALLIED MINISTERS SILENT

Tell Greek Cabinet They Have Received No Instructions as to Governments' Desires.

ATHENS, Sept. 21, via London, Sept. 23 (delayed).—The Greek Government is said on the best authority to have telegraphed definite proposals to the entente capitals which, if accepted, will mean Greece's entry into the war. If the uncertainty of the relations between Greece and the entente continues, it is regarded as not improbable that Greece may declare war on Bulgaria on her own account.

Semi-official efforts of the Cabinet to obtain from the entente ministers here a statement as to the desires of the governments, have been fruitless. The ministers were given to understand that as many as three members of the Greek Cabinet were ready to resign if the entente wished. The sole reply was that instructions had not been received.

MUTINY REPORTED ON GREEK CRUISER

300 of Crew of Georgio Averoff at Athens Said to Have Revolted.

LONDON, Sept. 23.—Athens is filled with rumors that 300 men of the crew of the cruiser Georgio Averoff have mutinied, according to a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co. The report says that the remainder of the crew and detachments of marines were sent away in boats. Other ships of the fleet are said to have quelled the mutiny.

The Georgio Averoff is an armored cruiser built in March, 1910. She carries a crew of 550 men. A dispatch to the Mail from Athens says:

"The Greek armored cruiser Georgio Averoff, lying off the Arsenal on the Island of Salamis near Piræus, is preparing to join the revolutionary movement at Saloniki. The Government has ordered the remainder of the fleet to prevent the Georgio Averoff from reaching Saloniki."

The correspondent at Athens of the Daily Mail hints at the likelihood of former Premier Venizelos leaving Athens shortly for one of the districts where a revolution has been started. He would be able to organize the whole revolutionary movement.

"The Kingdom of Greece," says the correspondent, "is now only a name. Saloniki, Thessalonica, Chios, Samos and Mytilene no longer are governed from Athens. Crete and Cyclades are about to follow suit. A proclamation of independence has been issued in Epirus; the Larissa district is bidding its time, while Phocis and Acarnania are wavering."

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## CITY COUNSELOR TO FIGHT STATE BOARD'S WATER RULING

Daves Declares He Will Ask Writ in Circuit Court to Prevent Enforcement of Rates Decree.

City Counselor Daves contemplates asking for a writ of certiorari from the St. Louis Circuit Court to review the order of the Missouri State Public Service Commission directing the Water Department to abolish its low water rates for manufacturers and equalize its schedule for all consumers. He told a Post-Dispatch reporter today that if the Circuit Court refused to set aside the State Commission's order the suit would be carried to the Supreme Court.

"The State Public Service Commission's decision is in line with those of other states, and was not a surprise to me," Counselor Daves said. "The statute under which the Commission was created and empowered specifically provides for the regulation of municipal utilities."

"I believe it was a mistake to give the State Commission any authority over municipal water works, which are the enterprise of the people themselves. If the Circuit Court refused to set aside the State Commission's order the suit would be carried to the Supreme Court."

## GERMANS TAKE BRITISH SHIP BOUND FOR THE CONTINENT

Steamer Colchester Is Taken Into Zeebrugge, Belgium, by Her Captors.

BERLIN, via wireless to Sayville, Sept. 23.—The capture of German sea forces of the British steamship Colchester on Thursday night was reported today by the Overseas News Agency. The Colchester was taken to Zeebrugge, Belgium.

The Colchester is 1900 tons gross. This is the third time the Germans have announced the capture of British steamships engaged in traffic between England and the Continent. On June 10 the steamship Brussels was captured by German destroyers and taken with her passengers into Zeebrugge. The Brussels' captain, (Chas.) Fryatt was put to death on the charge that he had attempted to ram a German submarine. Early in July the British steamship Lester from Liverpool was seized by German warships not far from the English coast.

## FINNEGAN GUILTY OF MURDER

Jury Fixes Punishment of Constable at Ten Years.

Daniel Finnegan, a former Deputy Constable, who killed Harry Dengler in Luxembourg, St. Louis County, April 8 last, was found guilty of second degree murder in the Clayton Criminal Court yesterday. While fixing the penalty at 10 years' imprisonment, the jury recommended clemency.

Finnegan alleged he shot Dengler in self-defense. The prosecution attempted to show that he was quarrelsome and high-tempered. Testimony showed that Finnegan shot and killed two men while a Deputy Constable. In each instance he was exonerated when it was shown the men were resisting arrest.

School Patrons Indorse Bond Issue. The Hart School Patrons Association, Sarah street and Greenlee place, last night indorsed the proposed \$3,000,000 bond issue for the public schools.

He felt disgraced. "Think of it, ladies—I've fought 'em all, in many countries, and here they bring me down with a carbuncle. If it was both legs shot off I wouldn't mind it," he said, but not been son."

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## SPEAKER CLARK SAYS CAMPAIGN IS THE LIVELIEST SINCE 1860

Steps in St. Louis on Way to Election in Bowling Green After Speech-Making Tour.

Speaker Champ Clark was at Union Station a few minutes this morning, on the way to his home at Bowling Green, Mo. He told reporters there was more interest in the present political campaign than any since 1860. He has been on a speaking tour for the Democratic Party in Missouri, and said he was greeted everywhere by crowds. He spoke at Japan, Odesa, Hamburg, Clarence and Stuttgart.

"I see that the Republican candidate for Governor has challenged the Democratic candidate to a debate on the State land bank bill proposition," said Speaker Clark. "In this connection I want to issue a challenge in behalf of Senator Reed for a debate with Republican Senatorial Candidate Dickey on national issues. Dickey is not an orator and Reed would far outclass him."

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# ARK SAYS CAMPAIGN WELIEST SINCE 1898

Louis on Way to Home  
Clark Green After  
Sh-Making Tour.  
Clark was at Union  
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Makes Vigorous Defense of Pro-  
posed Land Bank in Speech  
at Chillicothe.

## DEFIES SINGLE TAX STEP

Says State Has Always Been  
Able to Raise Money When  
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Save Up Cash.  
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Bomb Damages Home of  
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An explosion at 12:30 o'clock this  
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street and injured seven persons, is at-  
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first floor of the house where the ex-  
plosion occurred, and his brother-in-  
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who has an auto delivery truck.

Lombardo says he has no enemies  
that he knows of and has received no  
demands or threats. Lombardo's 15-  
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a demand for money a year and a half  
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perity of the two families and his Uncle  
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Lombardo, his wife and nine chil-  
dren and Miss Josie Solomanio, Mrs.  
Lombardo's sister, were asleep when  
the explosion occurred. Lombardo and  
his wife and two children, Anna, 8, and  
Joseph, 3, were in the front room. Miss  
Solomanio and four other children were  
in the second. Tony was in the third.

The explosion, which was heard for  
several blocks and shattered most of  
the windows in the adjoining blocks,  
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Morris Blumenfeld, and his mother,  
Mrs. Rose Blumenfeld, occupy the sec-  
ond floor. Morris Blumenfeld was sleep-  
ing in the hall room above the vesti-  
bule. He was blown out into the hall.  
He and Miss Solomanio, Tony Lom-  
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3 months old, were taken to the city  
dispensary for treatment for bruises  
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Lombardo estimated the damage to the  
building at \$500. The police estimate  
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A tale of the time when Norsemen invaded Germany.

(To the historical mind the present war in Europe, great though it be, is only one in an endless red pageant of war. There is not a European race or a nation, big or little, that has not fought in mighty wars. All the western territory that is being trampled now by armies, has been withered again and again by fire and slaughter, from the almost mythical days of the vikings. Until Germany became armored, its territory was the same field for almost continual wars and invasions as has been the territory now-known as France and Belgium. This story is from the ancient Norse hero-chants, and tells how the Norsemen flung themselves into Europe through Germany.)

**G**REAT was King Volsung, descendant of Odin. Mightily had his father's beaked viking ships swarmed the Cattagat and the Baltic and the southern peoples, from the coast to the land of the Huns. Under Volsung's hand lay all the land. Around a mighty oak-tree hard by the Baltic he built his feasting hall. The trunk of the tree stood in the middle of a vast plain. Through the roof grew the great branches, and shadowed the hall.

There, in a long hall, he sat peacefully when his beard was white, and drank flaming mead with his strong men and his ten tall sons. And they all sang songs to Sigyn, Volsung's only daughter, who was golden-haired and bright like the bright north sun.

Sigyn of Gothland in Northland heard of her beauty, her wisdom and her father's wealth. A rough wooer was he, but he was loaded with fighting men and their shields. Thus he sailed to win Sigyn.

The Volsungs saw the ships dart toward their strand the beaked ships, the dragon-headed, the serpent-mouthed, the long bulwark lines of shielded shields. The count made them heavy of heart, for there were ten Sigyn's men to every one Volsung.

Sigyn strode up the hall, broad and wild-bearded, grided with a massive sword, and there he stood with his strong back. "My daughter would I have for wife, oh King!" said he, "the great King of Gothland!" And he men struck their shields and shouted.

Volsung called his men. Sigmund, his youngest son, twin-brother to golden-haired Sigyn, spoke first. "Never shall Sigyn be offered to that false man," said he. "No sister of mine shall be wed by force. To fight is to die, let us die. Better to die fighting than to yield and live."

But the Volsungs said: "Nay! He has surprised us and we cannot make a stand. Better to make peace with him. Thus shall we all be strong." And the nine other sons of King Volsung said the same. Even was it for them.

Swiftly and easily, with her head bent and her golden braids hanging almost to the ground, Sigyn passed from the great hall and gave her hand to Sigyn. King Volsung advised not to accept the invitation.

**King Volsung Advised Not to Accept the Invitation.**

**U**OD shouted Sigyn's men. They made a great feast. King Sigyn sat on a high seat with King Volsung and passed the mead-cup to him across the fire. Yet even as he made that sacred pledge, he vowed to himself that he would destroy the Volsungs, root and branch, before the year was out.

It was then midsummer. Before the autumn gales began, Sigyn sent word to Volsung inviting him and all his men to sail to Gothland where they might embrace and have another feast. Greater than any feast that ever had been it should be, said Sigyn's messengers.

"Go not," said a wise counselor to King Volsung.

"Sigyn plighted his faith to me with the sacred cup over the sacred fire, and I plighted mine to him. Base was it to doubt him. A broken pledge was it. The Volsungs never feared to trust. They never feared to keep their word. We go," answered the King.

Long ships of the best were launched, ready with the gilded benches, their sails all of the sea again, glad to sail the life of the sea again, glad to sail the life of the sea again, glad to sail the life of the sea again.

Not till the sun stooped to the West did the last Volsung die. He fell, covering his old, dead, white-haired King. Thus did the Volsungs make their last stand.

This is one of the great Norse Sagas. A later Saga tells how Sigmund, greatest of Volsungs, escaped the slaughter and how he avenged his kinsmen. The Sigmund of the Norse Sagas is the Siegfried of the Germanic hero-chants, and throughout there is a close relationship between almost the whole line of Norse and Germanic epics.

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**Secret of Canning Fruit**

**HOUSEKEEPERS** who have not been successful in attempts at this work will find the following a most excellent recipe. Place the fruit in either a granite or porcelain kettle; never use iron, brass or tin for this purpose. Allow it to boil for about five minutes, have the jars in readiness and standing in a vessel of warm water, so that they may be heated gradually. Just before filling the jars with the fruit, dip a towel in boiling water and wrap it around the jar and, for the jar to rest upon. Fill the jar quickly, and when full thrust a knife to the bottom and stir it around several times and the air bubbles will rise to the top. Seal as tight as possible and stand the jar on the top in a moderately cool place, or until the cover is tightly screwed on. Stand the jars in a cool, dark place in the cellar, looking at them occasionally for a few days. For several years the above has been an expert's method of canning, and from experience it is learned that all varieties of fruits and vegetables can be canned with perfect success in this way.

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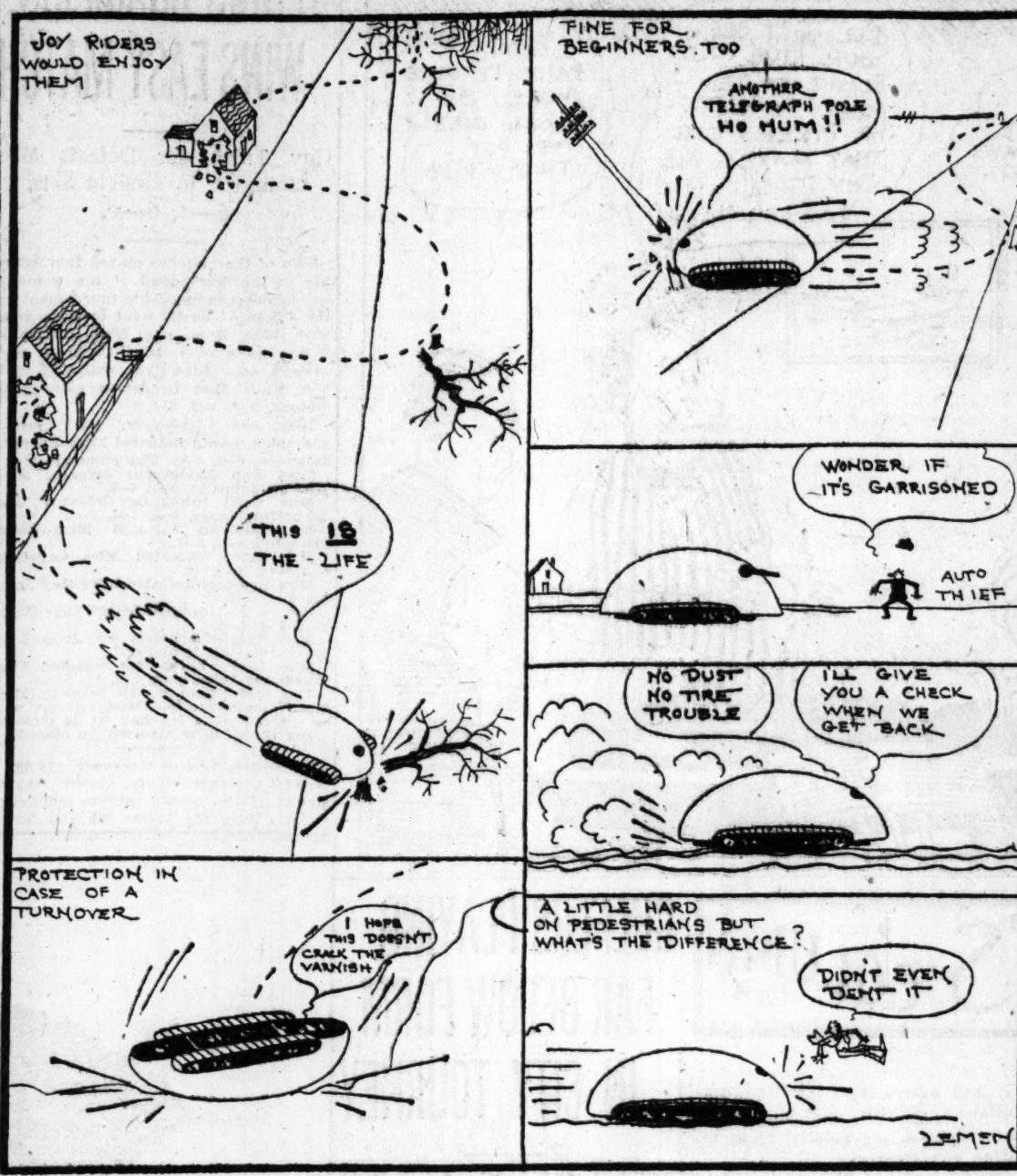
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### Chapter LII.

**CT. 4—**I have made a discovery that alarms me.

This is how it came about.

I was miserable all day yesterday after Ned complained about the housework. "Afterward we'll go to supper at Ned's."

**Ned Makes a Winning.**

**H**IS dropped down beside me on the window seat and put his arm around my shoulders. I kissed him happily.

"Don't go to all that expense just for me, dear," I said. "If you want to go but we can take a spin in the car and when we come home I'll get a chafing dish supper. Why not call up the theater and cancel your reservations? We can have a good time without spending so much money."

"Oh, never mind about the money!" he exclaimed. "I'm not broke yet."

"But you said this morning that our living expenses were too high," I argued, adding hastily, "I'm sure you were right."

I could not quite keep the tremble out of my voice.

There was silence for a moment. Then Ned said in a low tone. "Fraid I growled too hard, Mollie. I didn't mean to hurt your feelings, but those folks hit me all in a heap. You see, I had a loss yesterday. But—his voice took on a jubilant note—"I've more than made up for it today."

"Ned!" I exclaimed with sudden apprehension. "Are you in the stock market? Are you speculating?"

"I'm just playing with war stocks a bit," he confessed. "Denford and one or two others have given me some really worth-while tips. I went wrong yesterday, but that was a fluke which might have happened to anybody. Today I made a killing."

"Denford and His Crowd."

**O**H, I wish you would keep out of it, dear," I protested. "It really is nothing but gambling. One or two of father's friends thought they could win in Wall Street and it left them penniless."

"I know how to take care of myself," Ned answered confidently. "I'm going slowly and carefully. Besides, Denford and his crowd will see that in the end I don't lose anything. So cheer up, honey, put on your prettiest gown and we'll come out and celebrate."

I said no more. Perhaps Ned is right about his speculations. At any rate, I feel that this is one of the times when I cannot shake his determination. Of course, I can't help worrying.

(To be continued.)



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## Recipes Worth Trying

**Sweet Potato Pie**—Boil sweet potatoes with the skins on. Peel potatoes while hot and slice. Line a pie plate with rich crust and fill with sliced sweet potatoes. Pour over this a small glass of brandy and about two teaspoons of granulated sugar. Place small pieces of butter around and cover with top crust. This is delicious if made right. It should be eaten while quite warm.

**Eggless Cake**—One cup sour milk, 1 cup sugar, ½ cup butter, 1 teaspoon soda, 2 heaping cups flour, ½ teaspoon cinnamon, cloves and allspice and cup of chopped dates.

**Happy-Up Cake**—One-quarter cup butter, 1 teaspoon cream tartar, 2 eggs, ½ teaspoon soda, 1 cup milk, 1 cup sugar, 1 cup flour, 1 cup raisins.

**Royal Wheat Cakes**—One quart whole wheat flour, 2 teaspoons baking powder, ½ teaspoon salt. Sift well together and add enough sweet milk, about ½ cup, to make a thin batter, bake at 375° in a well greased griddle, serve with butter and syrup.

**Chocolate Pie Filling**—One cup sugar, 4 tablespoons of sifted flour, 1 teaspoon of salt, 1 heaping tablespoon of cocoa, 1 tablespoon of butter, ½ teaspoon of vanilla, 1 pint of boiling water. Cook in a double boiler until thick; let it cool and pour into shell. Whip cream for frosting, cool and serve when cold. This may be used as a pudding.

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# A Player Is Not in Contempt for Putting Up a Racquet in a Tennis Court

## FOUR-RUNNALLY EIGHTH FRAME WINS FOR BROWNS

Three Singles, Triple and a Base on Balls Rout Athletics 6 to 3.

CAN STILL FINISH FOURTH

Club Though Must Continue to Hit as It Did Against Myers Yesterday.

### PENNANT OUTLOOK

FIGURING the outcome of the pennant race in the two major leagues on the present standings of the leaders, a mark of 90-94 will carry off the honors in the American and one of 80-81 in the National League. In order to attain these figures the Cardinals in the two circuits will have to play at the winning percentage of .500.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

CLUB	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Boston	5	5	.500	0
Chicago	4	6	.400	1
Detroit	3	7	.300	2

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

CLUB	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Brooklyn	7	6	.538	0
Philadelphia	7	7	.500	1
Pittsburgh	6	8	.431	2

\*G. B.—Games behind at present.

By W. J. O'Connor.

Suddenly, in the eighth inning yesterday, the Browns put on a storm. Pratt walked. Marsans singled. Never mind about Austin. Borton tripled. Lavan singled. Skip Plank. And Shotton singled, the whole assault yielding four runs, each marker refreshing to 400 fans who haven't yet lost patience with the Browns.

This victory revived first division hopes. The Browns are not entirely out of the fight for fourth place, but they must continue to hit, and anything approaching the rally unworked in the eighth frame yesterday at the expense of Mr. Elmer Myers will be thankfully received.

The Browns have more games to play and they are in a hurry to get through that next Monday's game with the Mackmen has been moved up as a part of a double-header Sunday. That will give the Browns open dates on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, the final three-game series with the Tigers opening next Friday.

**Monday Game Moved Up.**  
Following that we will have the well-known fall series, dates for which are still unselected. Mr. Britton didn't pay his respects to Mr. Rickey yesterday, consequently things are quiet quo, whatever that means. Britton is stronger than horsedrawn for playing the first game Wednesday, the second on Thursday with an intermission Friday and double-headers on Saturday and Sunday. Fielder Jones, the little town stuff. He says it looks like a confession of defeat. He has the little of the magnates. They have the faith in their attraction. They fear it won't draw.

Jones leans to the belief that the fall series will be entirely and intensely interesting to those who have followed the fortunes of the two clubs. Incidentally, the Cardinals to pay the Cardinals for the pains they took and gave in drubbing the Browns this spring.

**Mack Shows New Faces.**  
Connie Mack showed several new faces in his lineup over the front presented on his last trip West. He has W. Johnson in center field and a new little chap named Grover on second. They handle themselves nicely, but neither is anything like a finished product. However, Connie has one gem at short and if there is any man in the National League destined to challenge John Lavan's supremacy as a fielder, it is Lewton Witt. The diminutive protegee of C. Mack. Witt is fast and a sure fielder. He also gives promise of being a hitter. Indeed, he is quite the best young player Mack has picked up, and that's saying a lot.

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## PENNY ANTE: Everybody Going "Shu"

By Jean Knott



## MCGRAW'S HURLERS HAVE ALLOWED 27 RUNS IN 18 GAMES

Good Pitching Has Pulled Giants Through on Present Winning Streak.

Great pitching more than anything else has pulled the Giants through in the present winning streak of the club, which yesterday reached 11 in a row, tying the season's record set by McGraw's men earlier in the campaign. In the last 18 games, one of the battles with the Pirates ending in a 1-1 tie, the twirlers of the outfit have yielded only 27 runs, an average of 1.5 per game.

This is an even better record than was set by the flingers during the early season winning streak, when they won an average of two per contest, were chalked up by the opposition.

The Braves were practically put out of the running for the National League pennant yesterday, when they dropped third straight game to the Reds, 8-3. While the Superbas were taking the Cardinals, Stallings' aggregation is now six games behind the Pirates. It will be a real miracle if the Hubtown entry wins out, and if there is any man in the National League destined to challenge John Lavan's supremacy as a fielder, it is Lewton Witt.

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## WRAV'S COLUMN

**The Problem of the Punch.**  
GRAND-STAND managers are pretty well agreed that Fielder Jones' Browns lack that run-making essential—A PUNCH. Sixty-four games of the one-run-margin variety, 35 of these defeats, are pointed to as evidence that the club is deficient in batting effectiveness.

It is also agreed by the amateur managers that Fielder is making a mistake in sitting tight with his present outfit and in planning to continue his 1917 campaign with the same PUNCHLESS cast.

But there is a large "on-the-other-hand" to his argument, one that can be backed up by figures. In this connection some peculiarities of batting may be noted. For example, the averages for this week show:

That the Browns, who are admittedly hopeless this year, have made 118 hits as compared to 1135 for the league leading Red Sox. That Detroit, whom the Red Sox put out of the running, is out-hitting the Red Sox 17 points.

While McGraw's mound men have been "ound" for only 77 markers, the Giant batter have clouted 85 across, almost five per battle. The hits total 133 for the Giants and 111 for the opposition.

**Not How Often, but When!**  
THESE few facts seem to indicate that batting is far from being everything in the life of a successful team; and that the injection of a little more TIMELINESS into the batting of our Browns, plus the team's great superiority in speed, may yet vindicate the club's manager.

The answer to this view will, of course, be: "What happened to the club this year. It had a fair trial." Jones argues differently. He maintains that the club has been a brought confidence and a near-first-place position to the club.

## Moundman Is Everything.

JONES holds—and he is supported by facts—that pitching is the first thing needed by a team. With that anything is possible. He regards the failure of the Browns as due to lack of skill on the start and in mid-season. Davenport's failure to round up his team, he had lost about nine games. Plank's tardy return to championship class, and the failure of Hamilton to come through, rather than to the downfall of clean-up men Pratt and McGraw.

Johnny McGraw is ready to O K the view about pitching. For, while the club has had a losing record with the return to winning form of the Giants, it is noteworthy that the pitchers of the club, in managing their long string of victories, have allowed a grand average of only 1.5 earned runs per nine-inning game!

That ought to win almost without hitting. Bo.

**Fanning the Speedway Blaze.**  
THOSE who look for a big abatement in the automobile speedway racing game, which flared up like a blinding gusher, think they see supporting evidence of this view in the reduction of purses at two or three lake tracks and in the alteration of the long-distance events in favor of shorter ones.

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## St. George and the Dragon

AND OTHER THINGS

By "BO"

WHERE are the fables of yesterday? Darius and his absurd attempt to fly, Jules Verne with his periscope rising from a Sea of Incredulity, and now finally St. George and the Dragon have all walked out of story-book pages into the flesh. Darius could now fly until the enemy got his range, and then he might repeat his famous dive—the Germans have translated "Ten Thousand Leagues Under the Sea" into action—and here comes peaceful Peoria and gives King George a dragon that makes England's old one look as placid as Josephus Daniels.

As a distillery city, Peoria has been supplying the "tanks" in the Mahogany trenches for some few years. She has now changed her territory to the blood-soaked gullies of France, and has given the old world its most horrid and powerful murder machine.

NOW, a city like Detroit can go to sleep at night, satisfied with the day's work and feeling that men, women, and children all over the world have had a happier day on account of Detroit automobiles. But what are the dreams of Peoria? Her latest progeny dashes like a flying branch office of hell into massed men. It spits lightning bolts, it dashes over a floor of flesh, through forests, over trenches, up and down shell holes. Nothing can stop its insatiable gluttony. Onwards it goes, bringing fresh grief to already mirthless homes. But these "tanks" will be welcomed by newspaper cartoonists and paragraphers. The war has been about as interesting lately as the career of the Philadelphia Athletics. It needed stimulation. Even the Peoria brand.

## "St. George and the Dragon" "King George and the Tanks"

Wouldn't have sounded so funny with King Edward—Would it?

## THE SMELL OF THE YUKON.

THE Pines on the Mountain Peaks were dip't In the slush of the Snow where the Summit was tipped With the Sun of another Yukon Day—(If Yukon them all, you can make it pay).

When down the Trail, a ringing yell Proclaimed the approach of a Horrible Smell. Dogs dropped in their tracks And strong men fell When they "Got" that Rich Alaskan smell.

You Midget Men from the City's Lights—Who dwell in a Land of Lobsters and Tights—What Can Ye Know of Alaska Nights? Revel away with your Broadway Belles—But how can Ye Judge of Alaska Smells?

For a Bunch of the Smells were Lapping them up in a Hospital for Thirst—They were taking off their Brogans and would bet which smelt the "worst." Fat Sandy Pete, a Little Swede, who wore the smallest shoes, Was easily the winner and bought the "Mostest" booze. When suddenly out of the clear, blue funk a shot rang out its token, Telling Bobbie Service that the Smell of the Yukon was broken.

## L'ENVOIE.

And the peaks that held the Prurient Pines Caroled, Sang and Gleeed. For the Smell of the Yukon was Broken And also the Heart of Pete, the Swede.

SHOULD the reader be interested in the sales of Scotch Whisky, he can see in "Black and White" that Hag is now leading Deuce.

THIS Hamlet will be all for Bill Shakespeare on Oct. 3. The Veiled Prophet will have the scenes from his plays floating through our streets. They must not overlook a float for the "Comedy of Errors," featuring our ball teams. First in Boats, Shoes and last in the American League you know. Today, tomorrow and forevermore. Amen.

## Don't Ever Let Anyone Tell You This as a New One

I WAS awfully hungry when I woke up this morning. "Did you do anything for it?" "Oh, yes, I took a roll off the bed."

## Her Retort.

PEOPLE often preserve the pen with which historic documents are signed. "Quite so," said his wife. "I think I'll preserve the pen with which you signed that \$5 check you gave me the other day."

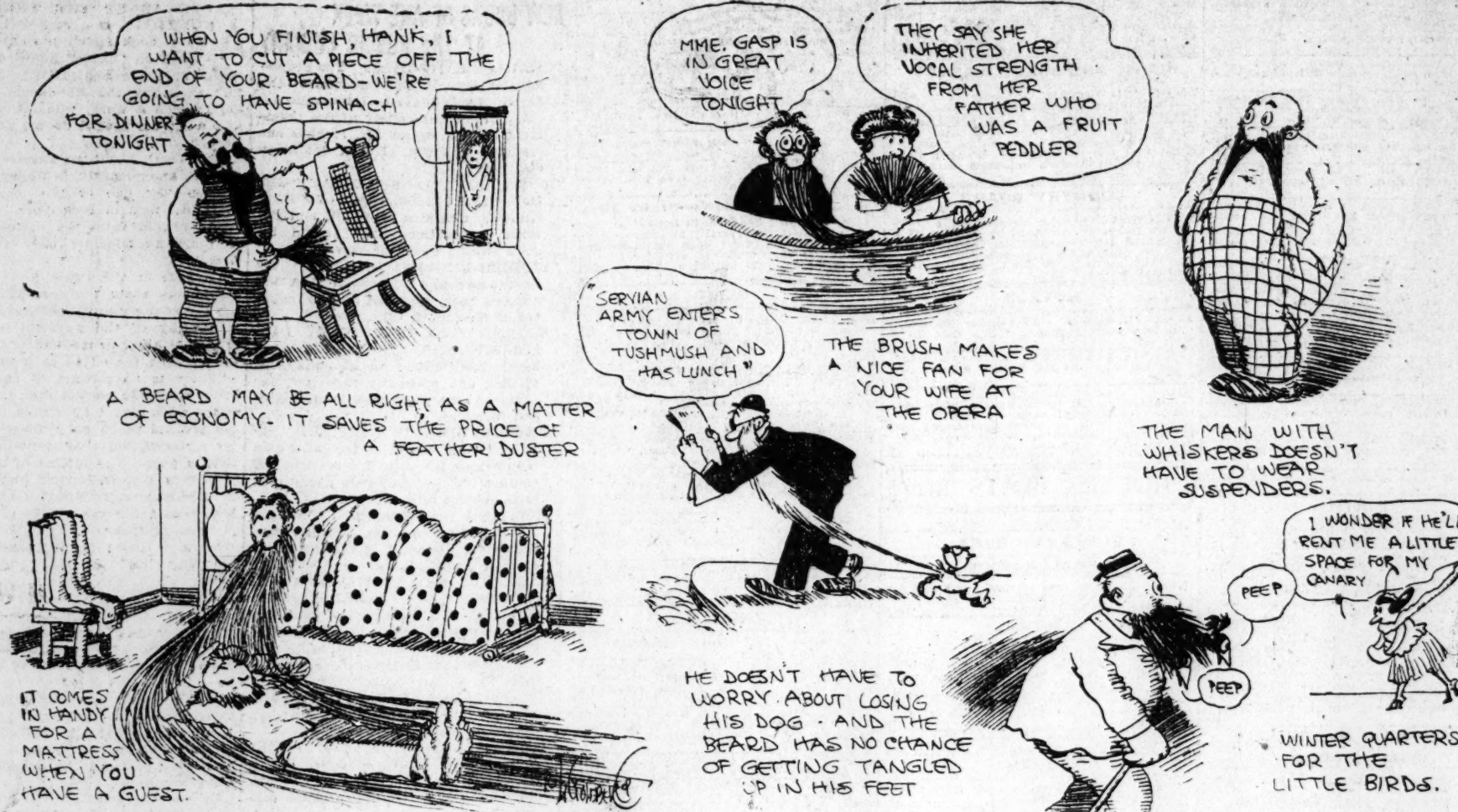
## More Than Plenty.

DO you take plenty of active exercise? "Well, the street where I live is a favorite one for auto speeders."—"Baltimore American."

## Repertory.

SHE: I believe you could make love to a stick. ME: I'm beginning to believe so myself.

THERE MUST BE SOME REASON WHY MEN WEAR BEARDS—BY GOLDBERG.



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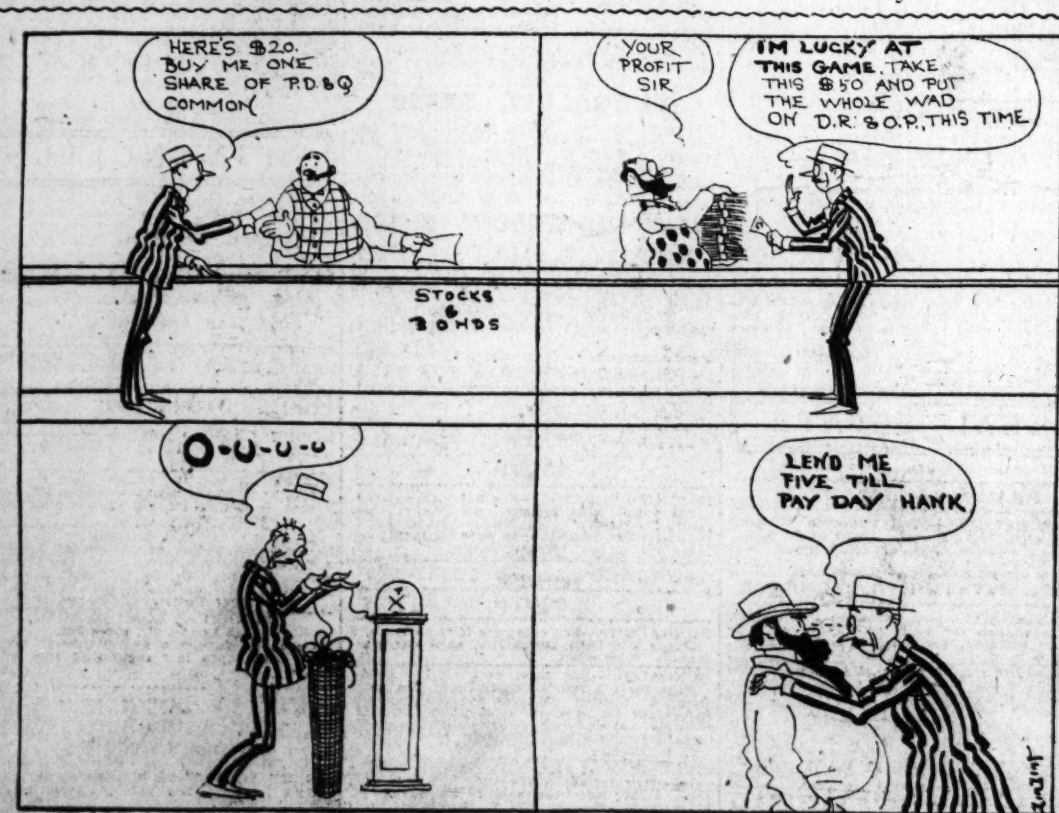
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S'MATTER POP?—NEXT TIME HE'LL KEEP HIS EYES OPEN!—BY C. M. PAYNE.



## MR. O. U. BRAGGER

By J. R. Lemen



## Some Facts About Love.

WHEN a woman's in love every man she meets is an object of interest to her.

When a man's in love only one woman in the world is interesting to him.

An old woman in love makes a far bigger fool of herself than a young one.

An old man in love makes twice the fool of himself that an old woman does.

A young woman in love invariably disapproves of most things her parents do.

A young man in love loses interest in his bachelor friends and their amusements.

## Loot.

DID you have a pleasant summer, Marjorie?" asked her old bachelor cousin.

"Both pleasant and profitable," she replied, proudly exhibiting six engagement rings, 23 books, 19 de luxe candy boxes, two lucky bracelets and three albums full of young men's photographs.

## A Mean Advantage.

I HEAR that Laura's engagement to the young minister is off."

"Why, yes, she told me. He was horribly jealous and so unfair."

"In what way was he unfair?"

"Every time she would make an engagement to go motoring with some other man he would pray for rain."

## It Didn't.

HOW'D that mining stock of yours do?" asked Smith of Reed.

"It didn't," said Reed, sadly.

## Where Is It?

ISN'T it strange how quickly these war maps get out of date?"

"Really, Mrs. Brunk, I had not thought about it. Do they?"

"Yes, indeed, I bought a new one only last week, and today I looked for an hour for Armageddon, but I couldn't find it anywhere."—The Christian Herald.

## Dramatic Idealism.

HUSBAND (after the theater): Well, how did you like the play?

His Wife—Very well, indeed. There was only one impossible thing in it.

The second act takes place two years after the first, and the family still have the same servant.

## Poverty Grades.

I WOULD like to have an ocean-going yacht," said the man with six automobiles, "but I can't afford it."

"I'd like to have a limousine, too," said the man with a touring car, "but I can't afford it."

"I'd like to take a trip and go fishing," said the man who had nothing but a family, "but I can't afford it."

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## Her Outfit.

WHEN Patty goes to college, she takes nine books along.

She takes nine books along. And after anxious thinking.

That lines her brow with frowns. A trunk of tools for prinking.

And thirty-seven gowns.—Life.

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